Substitute for form 1449/PTO		Complete if Known			
"				Application Number	10/581,591-Conf. #3621
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE				Filing Date	June 5, 2006
S	STATEMENT BY APPLICANT			First Named Inventor	Tetsuya KAWAHARA
				Art Unit	1624
	(Use as many she	eets as	necessary)	Examiner Name	E. A. Leeser
Sheet	1	of	1	Attorney Docket Number	1056-0140PUS1

			U.S. PA	TENT DOCUMENTS	
Examiner Initials*	Cite No.1	Document Number  Number-Kind Code <sup>2</sup> ( # known)	Publication Date MM-OD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear

		FOREIG	GN PATENT D	OCUMENTS		
Examiner Initials*	Cite No.1	Foreign Patent Document	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages Or Relevant Figures Appear	
		Country Code <sup>3</sup> -Nurriber <sup>4</sup> -Kind Code <sup>6</sup> (If known)				T°
	BA.	WO-2006/068058-A1	06-29-2006			
	BB	WO-03/089410-A1	10-30-2003			
	ВС	JP-2003-192673-A	07-09-2003			
	BD	WO-2006/126635-A1	11-30-2006			

Examiner	Date	
Signature	Considered	

"EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. ¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at <a href="https://www.uspto.gov">www.uspto.gov</a> or MPEP 901.04. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ¹ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. ⁰ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

		NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS		
Examiner Initials	Cite No.1	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.	ij	T²
			;	

Examiner	Date	
Signature	Considered	

<sup>\*</sup>EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

<sup>&#</sup>x27;Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.